

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **SASHIDA, Naoya**

Group Art Unit: **2826**

Serial No.: **10/697,944**

Examiner: **Thomas L. DICKEY**

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P.T.O. Confirmation No.: **8925**

For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE  
SAME**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: February 26, 2007

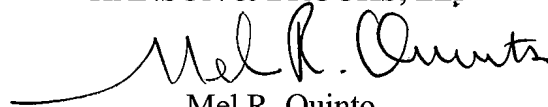
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2006 for two month, from December 25, 2006 to February 25, 2007, February 25, 2007 being a Sunday.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340 in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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